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## Knows His Business.

Our old friend Mr. B. F. Dorsey (more familiarly known as "Dick," in the days when we were "drivin' uv the mail waggin' to Paris) is now the chief manager of the Hotel Fleming, and is an ideal man for the place. What "Dick" don't know about managing a hotel ain't worth knowing. He commenced at the bottom round as bell boy and boot-blacker and has won his way to the head of affairs by honest endeavor.

We don't mean by this that "Dick" was a walf, for he was heir to a big Bourbon county farm, but, just for pure determination to make his own way, he ran off and started at the bottom at Uncle Charley Talbot's famous Bourbon House, and there learned "how to keep a hotel" from that prince of good fellows of the long ago.

We congratulate Mrs. Fleming upon having our friend at the head of the house, and also the public upon having a first-class man to attend to their wants.

## Congress Meets.

Both houses of Congress assembled in the Capitol at Washington City on Monday at 12 o'clock.

There was a very large crowd present to witness the opening of each house.

There seems to be a general and universal determination in both houses to get down to business without delay and to attend to the matters of such vast importance as are before them with a due sense of the gravity of the subjects.

We trust that this will be peculiarly a business session even if it is the short session.

## Centennial.

The centennial of Transylvania University (now Kentucky University) will be duly observed by appropriate ceremonies on Sunday, January 1st, 1890, in Lexington.

The alumni of Transylvania, Bacon College and Kentucky University have been invited to be present.

The principal address will be delivered by Bishop Thos. U. Dudley, of the Episcopal Church.

Doubtless there will be a large audience.

## Big Fire in New York.

On Sunday night last a big fire broke out, on Broadway street, New York City, which destroyed property worth several millions of dollars before it was extinguished.

## Coming His Way.

We learn by a Winchester paper, that Rev. Geo. H. Means, the late pastor of the Methodist Church in this city, has been offered \$3,000 for the manuscript of a work he has written on the subject of "Hypnotism."

them." We are glad to know that Mr. Means is meeting with success of this kind. He is a very able man.

Affirmed.

The Court of Appeals has affirmed the judgment of the Graves Circuit Court in sentencing Bob Blanks to death for committing a rape on a little girl. It now becomes the duty of the Governor to fix the day for the execution.

Overcome evil with good. Overcome your wrongs and continue in One thing. Come, come. It is so good. Children cry for it. It cures consumption, pneumonia, grippe and all throat and lung diseases. Tyler & Hemphill.

Look out for our Xmas window display next week.  
15-2t. D. C. CRUTCHER & CO.

## Arm Broken.

Capt. John H. Leathers, the popular gentleman and banker, of Louisville, was so unfortunate as to slip on the icy pavement, on Monday morning, and break his arm. Capt. Leathers has many friends in this community who regret to learn of this accident.

## Locde of Sorrow.

The Benevolent Order of Elks of the city of Lexington held a Lodge of Sorrow at the Opera House in that city on Sunday last. Among those in whose honor this ceremonial was given was Mr. Robert P. Pepper, Jr., of this city.

One of our former citizens, Hon. Marinduke B. Bowden, of Louisville, was one of the orators of the day.

## Meeting Held.

There was a meeting held at the court house on Saturday afternoon at which resolutions were adopted eulogizing the Louisville Legion for their services in Porto Rico.

A committee was appointed, with Mayor Dehoney at its head, to present the resolutions to the regiment when it passes through this city on its way to Louisville.

## Awarded Certificate.

In the matter of the contests for the certificates of election to Congress in the Ninth and Eleventh Congressional Districts, the Election Commission, on Saturday, awarded the certificate to Hon. Sam J. Pugh and Hon. Vincent Boreing. The full board sat in the cases and the decision was unanimous.

The other eleven Congressmen whose certificates issued on Wednesday.

Watches, clocks, jewelry, solid silver and silver plated ware at your own price, at Coppersmith's auction on the 12th and thereafter  
15-3t.

## A Big Bloodhound.

The largest bloodhound in the world is with Stetson's Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. He weighs 203 pounds and costs \$1,000.

The undying, inevitable Uncle Tom's Cabin appeared at the Opera House last evening under the successful management of G. P. Stetson.

It is the best dramatization of this celebrated play ever presented here, and the specialties were of high order. This combination could not do otherwise than immensely please the large audience in attendance. The reader is so thoroughly conversant with this piece that any mention would be a needless repetition, yet credit must be given to those enacting the roles as having assisted in a grand production. Of the specialties the dancing of the Topsy was a fine exhibition of suppleness and dexterity.

This audience were not slow in appreciating. The natural melody of the Lone Star Quartette, in their southern songs, the overtures of the orchestra and the mandolin students were equally entertaining in the extreme. A calculus light, situated in the key of the gallery are cast rich glowing colors over the tableaux with charming effect.—Brighton (N. J.) Star."

At the Capital Opera House Monday night, Dec. 12.

## Inventor.

Rev. Geo. H. Means, late pastor of the Methodist Church in this city, has developed into an inventor. He has invented a fountain pen which he thinks is a Klondyke, and is hoping for a rich reward. We hope that his expectations may be fulfilled.

## Bad Accident.

While a number of men employed at the rock crusher, on Benson, were about to get on the train to leave for

their homes, one of them by the name of James Spriggin, was so unfortunate as to be struck by the engine of train No. 18, on Saturday morning, and was killed. His home was at Nashville, Tenn. Coroner Meagher held an inquest and a verdict was returned in accord with the facts.

Pains in the chest when a person has a cold indicate a tendency toward pneumonia. A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on the chest over the seat of pain will promptly relieve the pain and prevent the threatened attack of pneumonia. This same treatment will cure a lame back in a few hours. Sold by J. W. Gayle.

## Attention.

The members of the Frankfort German Club are requested to meet at the State National Bank, Saturday evening, December 10, at 7:30 o'clock. A full attendance is desired. By order of

S. D. JOHNSON.

See our handsome line of puffs, teeks and four-in-hands.  
15-2t. D. C. CRUTCHER & CO.

## Tremendous Fog.

On Friday of last week a tremendous fog hung over the city of Cincinnati which was a regular London affair. The electric lights and gas were burned all over the city until nearly noon.

Several serious accidents occurred owing to the fact that, with all the lights burning, it was impossible to see ten feet away from the lights.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. Sold by J. W. Gayle.

Everything sold at W. L. Coppersmith's auction will be guaranteed as represented.  
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## Dr. Miles' Heart Cure

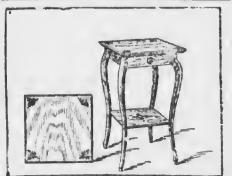
Our Prominent Attorney.



M. E. C. PHILLIPS, the leading pension attorney of Elkhart, N. Y., writes:

"I was discharged from the hospital on account of ill health, and suffered from heart trouble ever since. I frequently had fainting and smothering spells. My form was bent as a result of constantly wearing a coat, even in summer, and of taking cold. I could not attend to my business. My rest was broken by severe pains about the heart and left shoulder. Three years ago I commenced using Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, and have used so much pain, medicine and labor drawn from doctors for years without being helped. Dr. Miles' Heart Cure restored me to health. It is truly a wonderful medicine and it affords me much pleasure to recommend this remedy to everyone."

— Miles' remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee, first bottle or money refund. Book on diseases of the heart and nerves for Address, DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.



This handsome table, Mahogany, inlaid top and shelf,

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## CORNER MAIN AND ST. CLAIR.

A gorgeous array of Christmas goods. Stock new and fresh and assortment all that could be desired. Avoid the rush of the last few days before Christmas by making your selections now.

**BATH ROBES.**  
**SMOKING JACKETS.**  
**SILK UMBRELLAS.**  
**SILK HANDKER-**  
**CHIEFS.**  
**MUFFLERS.**

**SCARF PINS.**  
**CUFF BUTTONS.**  
**FINE NIGHTSHIRTS.**  
**KID GLOVES.**  
**FUR GLOVES.**  
**COLORED SHIRTS.**

**COVERT OVER-**  
**COATS.**  
**FINE SUITS FOR**  
**MEN, BOYS AND**  
**CHILDREN.**

Genuine Japanese Silk Handkerchiefs, White and Colored Borders, 25c. Neckwear in Puffs and all other styles, 25c. Mufflers as low as 25c.

## W. P. HUDSON, Jr.

### PERSONAL.

Miss Beilo Sanders visited friends in Louisville this week.

Mr. Geo. G. Fetter, of Louisville, was in the city Tuesday.

Mr. Fred Blum, jr., of Louisville, was in the city Thursday.

Mr. Robt. Wainoae, of Versailles, was in the city Saturday.

Mr. Geo. C. Graddy, of Versailles, was in the city Saturday.

Miss May Pepper is visiting Miss Mamie Clay, in Lexington.

Hon. E. Tutt Burnam was at his home in Richmond Saturday.

U. S. Senator Wm. Lindsay left for Washington City Friday night.

Miss Fannie Gray visited Miss May McGlasson, in Louisville, this week.

Mr. Lafe Crutcher, of Huntington, W. Va., was a visitor here this week.

Mr. Will H. Stone spent Saturday at Richmond, the guest of relatives.

Mr. J. Andrew Cain and wife, of Versailles, were in the city on Saturday.

Mrs. Kate Sanders Rogers has gone to Memphis, Tenn., to spend the winter.

Hon. Sam H. Stone spent several days at his old home in Richmond last week.

Mr. C. T. Duvall, of Peaks Mill, was in the city on Monday and made us a pleasant call.

Mr. Walter G. Chapman, U. S. Clerk, was called to Bowling Green on Thursday.

Miss Addie Hawkins has returned from a visit to relatives at Junction City and Corbin.

Col. Chas. Newton, the veteran telegrapher, has returned from a trip to Hot Spring, Ark.

Miss — Apperson, of Mt. Sterling, was the guest of Miss Elizabeth Hazlrigg this week.

Mrs. Clara Dudley and Miss Clara Surrall of Lexington, visited Mrs. S. D. Johnson this week.

Mrs. L. D. Hancock left this week to spend the winter with friends in Chicago and St. Paul.

Mrs. Christine Bradley has been the guest of Miss Virginia Grubbs, in Mt. Sterling, this week.

Miss Sadie Hawlin, of Corbin, Ky., is visiting her cousin, Miss Addie Hawkins, near this city.

Misses Hallie and Maude Tallaferro returned Thursday from a visit to friends in Henry county.

Dr. Robert Crutcher, a wife of Lexington, who has been visiting relatives here, have returned home.

Capt. Henry J. Julius, of Kansas City, Mo., is visiting his sister, Mrs. George W. Chinn, in this city.

Miss — Fleming, who has been the guest of Mrs. Dudley, at Flemingsburg, has returned home.

Mrs. Cordelia Bell and Miss Laura Hughes are the guests of Mrs. Theo. M. Porter, of Covington, this week.

Mr. Robt. Crutcher, of Woodford county, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. W. G. Simpson, on Monday.

Miss — Buchanan, of Crab Orchard, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Gabe Addams, Third street.

Miss Fannie T. Lewis, of Wooddale, and Miss Clio Lewis, of Stamping Ground, were in the city on Tuesday.

Mr. John W. Martin, of Woodford county, was the guest of his son, Mr. John C. Martin, in this city, this week.

Judge Bolling, of Virginia, who has been the guest of his son, Dr. W. A. Bolling, in this city, has returned home.

Miss Pattle Williams, Miss Lockett Smith and Miss Laura French, have returned from a visit to friends at Crescent Hill.

Mrs. T. F. Tallaferro, who has been the guest of relatives in Henry county for several days, returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. H. H. Owley, of Woodford county, who has been the guest of her father, Capt. Sam Sanders, has returned home.

Mr. C. Cyrus Turner, and wife, Mrs. Grubbs, and Judge J. T. Hazlrigg, of Mt. Sterling, attended the Bradley-Hazlrigg wedding on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. C. Thornton, of Versailles, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Lewis, for two weeks, returned home Thursday.

Mrs. S. T. Bailey, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. B. Lewis, Third street, for several weeks, left for New Castle on Saturday.

Mr. A. M. Duvall, of Peaks Mill, was in the city Tuesday, and came to see us, as he always does. The firm is doing very well at their new home.

Mr. W. J. Lewis, of Woodlawn, who has been visiting and visiting relatives at Paris, Tenn., for two weeks, returned home Thursday, having had nice sport.

Mrs. S. T. Bailey, who has been the guest of Mrs. John Bruce, near New Castle for several days, returned her sister's, Mrs. J. B. Lewis, Third street, on Wednesday.

Mr. Geo. A. Lewis, of this office, left for Southern Kentucky, on Tuesday, in the interest of the Kentucky Law Reporter, of which he is the proprietor and publisher.

Mr. Huston Wood, and daughter, Miss M. Louise, who have been visiting her brother, Mr. V. T. Lewis, in Chicago, Ill., have returned to their home near Woodlawn.

Mr. O. Lee Bradley and wife, Mrs. Will S. Barnes, Mrs. Elmer E. Raley, Mr. Logan Hocker and wife, Mrs. H. M. Skillman, Mrs. R. Hopper and Miss Alice Bradley, of Lexington, attended the Bradley-Hazlrigg wedding Tuesday.

Dr. Baxter's Dental Room, Main street, opposite Opera House, 29-4f.

### MATRIMONIAL.

BRADLEY-HAZLRIIGG — At the residence of the bride's father, Judge J. H. Hazlrigg, in this city, on Tuesday, Dec. 6th, Mr. Thos. Bradley, of Lexington, and Miss Emily Hazlrigg, were married by Rev. Geo. Darsie.

The young couple left on the 7:40 C. & O. for a trip to the east.

DUNLAP-CRUTCHER — The marriage of Miss Mattie Berry Crutcher and Mr. Thomas Field Dunlap, will take place at the home of her father, Mr. Washington Crutcher, on December 21st.

DEATHS.

MCDANIEL — At the home of her daughter, Mrs. Susan Quire, on the West Side, on Sunday night, Mrs. Susan McDaniel, of this city.

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Chateleine Watches in gold, filled and silver, in plain and ornamental patterns at Selbers.

### The Merchant of Venice.

The sale of seats for the engagement of the new three star combination, at the Capitol Opera House, on Thursday next, and which includes Mr. R. D. McLenn, Miss Odetta Tyler and Mr. Charles B. Hanford, now going on. It will be of special interest to our theater-goers to know that this engagement will mark the return to the local stage of Mr. McLenn and Miss Tyler, who have been in retirement for some time past. The other members of the triumvirate, Mr. Charles B. Hanford, is too well known to need an introduction at this late hour. The play selected for the engagement in this city is

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### A Test Case.

The Prison Commissioners, elected under the Bronston bill, have taken a step very much in advance of anything ever thought of before, and one which is of very questionable legality.

It will be remembered that the Legislature, a number of years ago, passed what was known as the parole law, under which the *Governor*, upon recommendation of the Sinking Fund Commissioners, was authorized to parole prisoners out of the penitentiary upon proof of good behavior.

Gov. Brown, than whom there are few better constitutional lawyers, became convinced that the law was unconstitutional and, therefore, suspended its operation. It has not been revived by Gov. Bradley.

Now comes the Prison Commission and undertakes to revive the operation of the law and to exercise the power conferred upon the *Governor* by a law that has not been re-enacted since the new Constitution was adopted.

The Commission issued a parole to a prisoner named Dugan, who murdered Col. John Colson, brother of Congressman David G. Colson.

A test case will be made at once.

However much we may approve of the object designed by law (and we had always favored it), we utterly fail to see by what stretch of authority a law giving the *Governor* certain powers can be made to cover the action of the Prison Commission.

We think that Gov. Brown was clearly right in claiming that it was an invasion of the powers conferred by the Constitution upon the Governor alone, to pardon for crime or reward for services.

There is a disposition manifested in certain quarters to usurp the powers always exercised by other departments of the State, which bodes no good to those who so act, as there is an old saying that "chickens come home to roost," and such things often "return to plague the inventor."

A select assortment of Gold Pens, Fountain Pens, Silver Holders and Silver Pens at \$1.00 each.

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# Mid-Season Clearance Sale.

## JOHNSON & HOGE,

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### At Cost.

All of our Cloaks and Silks for ladies' and children's.

### At Cost.

Our stock of —

UPSILANTI UNDERWEAR.

### At Cost.

All of our Colored Woolen Dress Goods.

#### Tobacco Men's Convention.

The delegates appointed by the different counties to the Lexington Tobacco Growers' Convention met at Lexington on Monday.

There was quite an imposing assembly of tobacco men, and, we are glad to say, that the incendiary and anarchistic speech of Col. Tobias Gibson, of Woodford county, was received with unqualified disfavor.

We were not much astonished at any thing this disappointed political humbug and blowhard might say, for we have heard him before when he was as equally outrageous in speech.

The following were the resolutions adopted by the Convention.

WHEREAS, the farmers of Kentucky produce one-half of the tobacco of this country, but are not in a position to make a sensible trust has been formed for the purpose of controlling the price of every pound of tobacco raised in the United States; and,

WHEREAS, Prompt and vigorous action is necessary to prevent or dissolve this unlawful and monstrous organization, therefore be it

Resolved, That the tobacco growers, in convention assembled, First.—That an organization of the tobacco farmers of the State of Kentucky is necessary to protect our interests.

Second.—That the organization this day formed be made permanent.

## Catch Cold Easily?

Are you frequently hoarse? Do you have that annoying tickling in your throat? Would you feel relieved if you could raise something? Does your cough annoy you at night, and do you raise more mucus in the morning?

Then you should always keep on hand a bottle of

## Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

If you have a weak throat you cannot be too careful. You cannot begin treatment too early. Each cold makes you more liable to another, and the last one is always harder to cure than the one before it.

Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral Plaster protects the lungs from colds.

### Help at Hand.

If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice you can possibly obtain, write the doctor freely. You will receive a prompt reply.

Address, DR. J. C. AYER,  
Lowell, Mass.

### DOLLS.

1,000 dolls direct from the German and French manufacturers. Bisque head, long, curly hair, jointed dolls \$5, 10, 15, 25, 35, 45 and 95 cents. Cheapest dolls in the market.

### TOYS.

We have a good stock of things to please the children.

### BASKETS.

A large stock of fancy baskets and boxes. Christmas tree ornaments in great variety.

### Handkerchiefs.

We place on sale to-day a very large lot of all linen hemstitched and embroidered handkerchiefs, the newest fad, prices very low.

### Blankets and Comforts.

At big reduction to close out stock.

### Kid Gloves.

All reduced for the Christmas trade. 89c. for our F. W. L. Glove, worth \$1.25.

### Umbrellas.

Just the thing for a Christm present. Beauties from 98 cents up.

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## HOLIDAY GOODS.

Buy your holiday presents now and lay them aside until needed. Here are a list of the correct things to buy:

### An overcoat.

### A beautiful pair trowsers.

### A handsome suit.

### Fur or plush lap sofa.

### Trunk or elegant bag.

### A dress suit coat.

### A pair handsome shoes.

### A Knox or Stetson hat.

### Two suits Jaros underwear.

### Dress suit protector.

### Kid gloves.

### Driving gloves.

### Smoking jacket.

### Bath robe.

### 1-4 dozen fancy shirts.

### 1-4 dozen white shirts.

### 1-2 dozen collars.

### 1-2 dozen cuffs.

### 1-2 dozen silk handkerchiefs.

### 1-2 dozen linen handkerchiefs.

### 1-6 dozen handsome puffs.

### 1-6 dozen handsome 4-in-hands.

### Umbrellas, mufflers, cuff buttons, 1-2 dozen hose.

## D. C. Crutcher & Co.

### FOR SALE.

### CITY REAL ESTATE.

I desire to sell the following real property, all

united in Frankfort, and belonging to the state

of Kentucky, the estate of James N. Blakemore, deceased.

All persons indebted to

the state are requested to make payment to

the state, or to the heirs of the deceased, or to

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Triple plated tea spoons, \$1.50 per set.  
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ASCENSION EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. R. L. McCready, rector, Mr. Robert Emmet Abraham, assistant.  
Divine service at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

The night service is under the auspices of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, and a special sermon will be preached to men by the Rev. John K. McCreary, pastor of St. Andrew's Church, Louisville, one of the strongest speakers in the State.

Sunday-school in the chapel at 9:45 a. m.

Services Wednesday afternoon at 4 in the chapel.

All seats free and everyone cordially welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. M. B. Adams, the pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

The Young People's Society will meet at 6 p. m.

Prayer-meeting Wednesday night at 7 o'clock.

Class in Sacred Literature will meet immediately after the prayer-meeting.

Sunday-school in the Chapel at 9:45 a. m. Special classes for young men.

Seats free and all are cordially invited.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Rev. George Darsie, the pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Meeting subject: "True Charity." Evening subject: "The First Apostolic Sermon—the second of a series on Primitive Christianity."

Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor meets at 6:45 in the chapel. Leader, Leslie Barrett.

Topic: "The Major Virtues and Their Importance."

Prayer-meeting Wednesday night at 7:15.

Topic: "The Actor in the Cup."

Evening meets Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Sunday-school meets at 9:30.

The public will be cordially welcomed to all these services and especially strangers in the city.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—The usual services tomorrow, conducted by Rev. Father Thomas Major, the pastor.

Low mass at 7:30 a. m. High mass 10 a. m. Vespers at 7:30 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. Mr. McCloskey Blayney, D. D., the pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Christian Endeavor Society meets at 6:45 p. m. in Sunday-school room.

Prayer-meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. T. F. Thompson, the pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Sunday-school meets at 9:30 a. m.

Epworth League convenes at 6:45 p. m. in the ladies' parlor.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m.

Prayer-meeting Aid Society will meet at 3 o'clock each Wednesday afternoon at the church.

Official Board meets Tuesday evening.

The public cordially invited to attend.

SOUTHERN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. Wm. Crowe, Jr., the pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor meets at 6:45 p. m.

Prayer-meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m.

To all these meetings the public is cordially invited.

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On Sunday night next at 7:30 o'clock there will be a special service and sermon to men at the Episcopal Church by the Rev. John K. Mason, the rector of St. Andrews Church, of that city, the successor of Bishop Penick and Burton, and is one of the most eloquent men in the pulpit of the State. It is his first visit to Frankfort, and he will doubtless have a large congregation to hear him. The service is under the auspices of

the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, and while especially designed for men, ladies are also cordially invited, and all who attend will receive a cordial welcome.

TWENTY-FIRST ANNIVERSARY SERMON.

Mr. Darsie, last Sunday, gave the following facts concerning his twenty-first year of service with the Christian Church of this city:

Additional members, 50; presents, 100; baptisms, 60; deaths in the membership; 50; funeral services conducted, 23; marriages celebrated, 26; pastoral calls made, 1,176; sermons preached, 121; additions elsewhere, 21; raised for missions, \$1,751.89; raised for all purposes, \$1,721.44; given to the Sunday-school, \$271.25.

Given to the Sunday-school, \$142.00; added to the church during the twenty-one years and three months of Mr. Darsie's pastorate, \$66; added during the entire sixty-six years of the church's history, 1,486.

All departments of the work of the church were reported to be in excellent condition.

### Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The story of the Frogdog Son formed the theme of an exceedingly interesting and helpful talk given by Dr. Blayne at the Men's Rally last Sunday afternoon. A solo song by Miss Martha Bradley, of Indianapolis, was also greatly enjoyed.

Mr. Alexander McPhail, a prominent Cincinnati merchant, presented \$20,000 to the Y. M. C. A. of that city towards the liquidation of a \$50,000 mortgage on the Association building. The young men of the Association have also given about \$10,000 to help wipe out the debt.

It is expected that Rev. K. J. D. of Louisville will give a sermon at the Men's Rally Sunday at 3:30 p. m. Special music. All men welcome.

A conference of the College Young Men's Christian Association of Kentucky is being held this week (9-11) at Richmond.

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Late to bed and early to rise, prepares a man for his home in the skies. But early to bed and Little Early Risers, the pill that makes life longer and better and wiser, Tyler & Hempill.

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### Kentucky Crop Report.

Replies were received this month from 145 correspondents, representing 104 counties.

#### WHEAT.

The wheat crop, as a result of the continued rainfall during the month of October, is divided into two distinct parts—the early and the late—with the separating interval of such extent and clear definition as rarely occurs. The early portion of the crop will average a date much in advance of the ordinary, and, as was noted in the November report, was becoming too rank to withstand freezing temperature. The arrival of winter conditions has, however, set at rest any apprehension on that score. This part of the crop suffered somewhat from insects early in the season, but has escaped serious injury and is in excellent condition to withstand the severe winter which appears imminent. The late wheat, which was mainly sown after November 1st, comprises the largest half of the acreage. It has been subjected to some severe weather tests of late, and since much of it is either below ground or is just beginning to make its appearance, that it would escape injury would be assuming too large a measure of good fortune.

The condition of the crop averages 94 for the State, which is two points below the November average. On December 1st, 1897, the condition was 85, and for same date of 1896 it was 101. By sections the following percentages of condition are shown: Western, 82, which is a decline of five points during the month; central, 102, which is an increase of seven points, and southeastern, 100, which is the same as the condition reported November 1st. The falling off in condition in the western section and the increase in the central is due to the fact that in the western section far more is late, while the reverse is true of the central section.

The preliminary estimate of

the acreage on November 1st was 107, as compared with acreage of 1897. The acreage has increased until now (December 1st) it is estimated at 111, similarly compared.

It should be borne in mind, however, that the increase is only in the southeastern district, where an increased percentage would have but a slight effect on total acres. In Pike county the correspondents estimate the increase at 250 per cent. In Magoffin county the increase is 105 per cent., while a number of counties of this section report acreage increased 50 per cent. The average for the southeastern section places the acreage at 128 as compared with acreage of 1897. This is an increase of 11 per cent. since November 1st. In the central section the acreage, as compared with the acreage of 1897, is 102, which is a decline of one per cent. from the preliminary estimate of November 1st. In the western section the acreage by a similar comparison is 104, also a falling off of one per cent. The estimate of number of acres sown will not be made until the return by the assessors of acres harvested in 1898, which will give the basis.

Many correspondents report, under date as late as November 30th, that farmers are not yet through sowing, but it is safe to assume that little or no wheat will be sown after that date.

#### CORN.

Corn husking has progressed rather slowly and a considerable portion of the crop yet remains in the field. While the general tenor of reports is to modify first estimates of damaged or rotten corn, still the estimates show the damage is not inconsiderable. The average estimate of loss is 14 per cent. In the western section the loss is estimated at 12 per cent. In the central at 14, and in the southeastern at 17. A few counties report the crop disappointing as to yield, and the general opinion is that the quality is below average.

The average price of corn for the State December 1st is es-

timated at 28 cents. The average for the western section is 24 cents; 24 cents for the central, and 33 cents for the southeastern.

In view of the sappy condition of corn a little precaution in regard to seed corn for next year may prove of benefit. A careful selection should be made at one of a sufficient amount of ears which should be placed where they will become thoroughly dried out. Hard freezing while the sap remains will destroy the germ and render it worthless for seed purposes, but after it has become dried it will withstand any temperature which may occur in this latitude without injury.

#### LIVE STOCK.

All classes of live stock show an improvement over condition December 1st, 1897. The following comparisons show per cent. of improvement each bearing condition compared with average years: Horses, December 1st, 1897, 95; December 1st, 1898, 98. Cattle, December 1st, 1897, 92; December 1st, 1898, 101. Sheep, December 1st, 1897, 94; December 1st, 1898, 98. Hogs, December 1st, 1897, 92; December 1st, 1898, 98.

#### CONCLUSION.

This issue concludes the monthly crop report until opening of spring. I desire to again thank correspondents for their faithful services during the past year and to express the hope that with the beginning of the work next year I may again have their assistance.

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